

Hampstead Baptist Church August 17, 2024

Dear AWANA Parents:

Our AWANA Clubs start Wednesday, September 4, 2024 and run through the school year. We hope that your children can join us on Wednesdays from **6:30PM – 8:00PM** to learn about Jesus, learn how to serve Him, and have fun.

Our first night of AWANA Clubs, September 4, 2024, we will have an ice cream social in the gym. We would like all parents to join us from **7:40PM to 8:00PM** for ice cream and a brief parent welcome.

If your children will be attending please make sure that you fill out a registration form for each child. There are two options for you to register prior to September 4:

1. Fill out registration form online and submit http://www.hampsteadbc.org/event/awana/

2. Fill out registration form in main foyer and place it in the completed registration bin

These two options will expedite our registration process. The other option is to fill it out on September 6 in the gym foyer.

Bible verse memorization is a key part of the AWANA program. The program is set up for each clubber to finish one book per year. In order to do this each child requires help and support at home. Parents are critical to the success of the AWANA Clubs! To finish a book in one year clubbers need to finish about one section per week. Your children are rewarded as they progress thru their books but more importantly, they are hiding God's Word in their heart! **Psalm 119:11 -** "Your word I have hidden in my heart, that I might not sin against You."

The AWANA leaders understand that parents have the primary responsibility for their children's spiritual development and that we are here to support you. All the leaders are excited about what God has planned for AWANA Clubs this year! If you have any questions or concerns please contact <u>rtmcvicker@gmail.com</u> or 443-377-7857.

For further AWANA Club information (Parent Welcome Letter, AWANA Club Night Schedule and Map, Illness Policy, etc.) attached to email and announcements access: <u>http://www.hampsteadbc.org/ministry/children/</u> and <u>https://www.facebook.com/HampsteadBaptistAwana/</u>

Tom McVicker - AWANA Commander Michelle Bell – Assistant AWANA Commander

The goal of the AWANA Clubs is to reach boys and girls with the Gospel of Christ and train them to serve Him.